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Please see the attached notice regarding the non-responsive amendment filed 4/9/07.

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## NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

The reply filed on 4/9/07 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s). In particular, Applicant did not elect a single disclosed dye species for initial search purposes. In addition, Applicant did not elect an organic solvent. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Note: Applicant is respectfully requested to select the dye and submit a structurally depiction of such dye.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Michael Hartley can be reached on (571) 272-0616. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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